In re Application of:

Katsumi OKOUCHI

Serial No. 09/835,495

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For: LIGHTED CUTTING TOOLS

Application of:

Group Art Unit: 3722 700 MAIL ROOM ECHIER 3700 MA

Honorable Commissioner of Washington, D. C.

Sir:

In accordance with Applicant's duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. 1.98, Applicant hereby submits a copy of a reference, listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449, that may be relevant to the examination of the above application. English-language translation of the reference is included.

Consideration of this reference is respectfully requested.

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